## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

SMARTMATIC USA CORP., SMARTMATIC INTERNATIONAL HOLDING B.V. and SGO CORPORATION LIMITED,

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 22-cv-00098- WMW-JFD

v.

MICHAEL J. LINDELL and MY PILLOW, INC.,

Defendants.

## OBJECTION TO COURT'S ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE AND REQUEST FOR STATUS CONFERENCE

This Court granted an order to show cause on July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at Dkt. 308.

Respectfully, the Court's order is not clear as to how Mr. Lindell and My Pillow, Inc. are in violation of the court's order. First, Defendants have provided documents in their possession for 2022 and 2023. It is unclear what "responsive documents" Plaintiffs are referring to and the Court's order appears to presume that Defendants know what those documents might be. Defendants do not have responsive documents for the 2022–2023 time frame because that period is not under audit and so no documents were compiled for 2022-2023 as they were for the audit. The only other documents that are required to be turned over under Defendants' understanding were the 2022 – 2023 tax returns.

Because of the lack of clarity, Lindell and My Pillow, Inc. have no further ability to comply with this Court's order and so are unclear about what further things need to be produced. To that end, Defendants respectfully request a status conference or a written

order to clarify what other relevant and responsive documents need to be produced which have not already been produced.

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